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		First Named Inventor	RASI
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		Application Number	10/519,082
		Filing Date	December 23, 2004
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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: **METHOD OF UP-REGULATING TUMOR ANTIGEN EXPRESSION USING THYMALFASIN**, the specification of which corresponds to International Application Serial No. PCT/US03/020829, filed June 30, 2003.

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